CONSUMPTION ALARMS BOARD

White Tague On Increase in Norfolk, As Statistics Show.

PASTOR BANE IS QUITE ILL

Will Arrive Here This Morning For Treatment at Hospital. Pythians Will Celebrate.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, VA., February 20.—Secretasy Paunill, of the Board of Health, who has been collecting statistics on the death rate in Norfolk from consumption, will Board of Health to-morrow, Secretary Pannill has a comparative statement for ten years, beginning at 1886. During this period the death rate from tuberen, losis or consumption in Norfolk city has increased each year until from tuberculosis was over 15 per cent, death rate from the same disease was 2 per cent, and something over.

with two exceptions, neither of which was notable. The colored death rate increased much more than the death rate among the whites from this disease. The idea of the Board of Health is to seponit these statistics to the city Councils with a request for a special appropriation to be used in treating consumption.

To Be Treated in Richmond.

Rev. Charles L. Bane, pastor of Memorial M. E. Church, who for ten weeks has been confined to the Sarah Leigh Hospital, and afterward his home here by illness, left to-night by the Old Dominion steamer for Richmond to receive further treatment in a hospital in that city.

C. B. Ryan, general passenger agent, and E. F. Cost, second vice-president of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, have sone to Havana, Cuba, to open a new office. They will be absent two weeks, For some time the Seaboard has maintained an agency at Havana, but has not had an office building.

Programme of Pythians.

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The following is the programme for the Pythian demonstration to be made here on the 22d and 23d of this month, 44 subordinate lodges of this part of the Stale and the First Virginia Regiment, informed rank, participating: February 22-Afternoon: Parade of the U. R. K. P., and the subordinate lodges. Evening-Public meeting in the assembly room of the Odd Fellows' temple, Church Street, with speaking by Supreme Chancellor Shiveley, Supreme Vice-Chancellor Barnes and Major-General Stobbart, U. R. K. of P. February 22-Oyster foast at Ocean View.

Merchant Was Arrested.

of Portsmouth, was arrested to-day by
the United States deputy marshal on the
complaint of Inspector Bulla, of the
Postoffice Department, charged with using the United States mail for the purpose of fraud. He is charged with solicitling produce from the farmers and merchandise from the country merchants and
selling it without making proper returns,
It is the same sort of business for which
J. B. Powell, of Norfolk, and A. Donaldson, of Hampton, were recently convicted
here and sent to the Penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga-

GLOUCESTER FAIR.

Mass Meeting of Citizens Organize and Elect Officers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
GLOUCESTER C. H., VA., February
20.—The citizens of Gloucester, in meeting to-day at Golucester C. H., organized a county fair. There was a large gathering and much enthusiasm. A

grige part of the needed capital was subcribed for on the spot, and the following officers were elected:
Honory president, Joseyn Bryan;
resident, Alfred W. Withers, vice-presicent, William Duncan: treasurer, S. W.
topkins, secretary, Jefferson Stubbs,
Board of Directors—M. A. Cheney, Jr.,
like Pointer, F. P. Dabney, William
tubbs and Walter Perin.
This organization will work in hartony and not in opposition to the Southde Agricultural Association.
Gloucester has developed so wonderilly in the last few years it is believed
ie fair will be a great success.

he board will meet in three weeks to perfect the organization which will be known as the Tidewater Agricultural Association.

BOY BURGLARS.

Captured After An Exasperating Chase of Several Days.

Chase of Several Days.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WINCHESTER, VA., February 2a.-After an exasperating chase lasting several days, the police to-day captured the ring-leader in the gang of white youths who were charged with robbing the house of John M. Boutell, a wealthy widower German farmer, of near Winchester, while he was on a visit to his son in New Jersey last week, taking away a number of guns, pistols and field glases that had

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which must be closed out.

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THE MURDER MYSTERY

been used by his ancestors in the German wars.

In the gang were John Markell, Peter and Bennett Anderson, "Boots" Kendall, John Hamilton and Edwin Harford. The first four were sentenced by the court to the State reformatory at Laurel, near Richmond. Hamilton got three months in Jail and Harford one month.

British Henry, another member of the gang, has fled to Alberton, Md., and is said to be with kinsmen there.

Some of the stolen articles have been recovered by the police.

Rev. Dr. J. H. Lacy, pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Winchester, is in receipt of news from his niece, Mrs. Dr. James B. Woods, whose husband is a Presbyterian medical missionary in China, to the effect that there were no signs of trouble there when the letter was posted January sixteenth.

THE JUNIOR ORDER.

Annual Meeting in the Opera House at Salisbury.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SALISBURY, N. C., February 20.—The State Council of the Junior Order United American Mechanics convened in annual session here to-night. Several hundred delegates from all sections of North Carolina are in attendance, besides a number of visitors from other States.

The opening meeting was held in the opera house and was presided over by Mayor A. H. Boyden, of this city, the aidress of welcome being delivered by Theo. F. Klutz, of this city. Following this address, Mr. Z. P. Smith, of Raleigh, one of the officers of the order, spoke on the basic principles of Juniorism. The order is shown to be in a prosperous condition, being well organized in fifty-nine counties in North Carolina. The convention will be in session three days.

THREE ACQUITTED. Breeden, Keyser and Comer Not

Implicated in Drowning Negro. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LURAY, VA., February 20.—Edgar
Breeden, Isaac Keyser and "Dock"
Comer, who have been on trial in the
Circuit Court of this county, charged
with being implicated in the drowning
of George Henderson, a North Carolina
negro, near Ingham, Page county, was
acquitted on the charge by a jury last
night.

A LADY'S SUICIDE.

A Bullet Wound Over the Heart and a Dose of Carbolic Acid.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA., February M.—
Mrs. Alice Bowie died last night at the Alexandria Hospital from the effects of a bullet wound over her heart and a dose of carbolic acid. Mrs. Bowie lived in Fairfax county, and had been separated from her husband for several years. It is thought that she was broading over this fact Sunday afternoon when she fired the shot into her breast and Rock the acid.

She was carried to Alexandria.

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She was carried to Alexandria and placed in the hospital where her death followed at 10:30 o'clock lust night.

MUNICIPAL LIFE.

Lawrenceville Seeking to Meet Necessities of Healthy Gowth.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LAWRENCEVILLE. VA., February
20.—The town council of Lawrenceville
passed a resolution last night taking
steps to enlarge the corporate limits of
the town, and engineers were instructed
to lay off a new boundary line.
A resolution was adopted for the separating of the schools of the town from
the country; and another authorizing
the Finance Committee to purchase a
mule and cart and hire a man for permanent stret improvements.

TWO KILLED.

Premature Blast Occurs in Tunnel Construction.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)

BLUEFIFID. W. VA., February 20.—
Two men were killed and one fatally hurthis morning as a result of the premature explosion of a blast fa a tunnel heing constructed by the Virginia and Pocaliontas Coal and Coke Company, at Coalwood, W. Va.

The dead are: Thomas Nash and John Willis, son of Sauperintendent A. Collier Willis.

The bufured man was taken to the The Uniured man was taken to the Miners' Hospital at Welch.

The Coroner's Jury Fails to Find a Reason for the

STIRS ROANOKE CITY

case rendered a verdict that the ex-city sergeant came to bis death by wounds received from a hatchet or axe in the hands of a party or parties unknown. There were nine different wounds in The wound in the opinion of the physicians, would in the opinion of the physicians, would have caused death. Two buckets have caused death. The blood the other slightly discolored were found in the reorn, which indicated that the assassin had washed the blood front his hands.

The wound in the neck severed the jugular vein and cut the wholpte half in two. The police are refeen, but declare that no tangible clue has been presented, but they are leaving no stone unturned to uncarth the mystery.

Detective Graffin testified that he had searched the room thoroughly three times and had not found anything that would lead to a clue. The police have several parties under suspicton, but no clue or evidence that would warrant the arrest of any one.

The funeral of the murdered man will take place to-morrow afternoon. The whole city is excited over the brutal murder.

GAME PROSECUTION.

John Tribble Fined For Shooting Wild Turkeys Out of Season.

ACCEPTS SENTENCE.

Ex-Policeman McGuffin Will Not

Fight Verdict of Court.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CYIFTON FORGE, VA., February 20.

Ex-Policeman Harry McGuffin, of Covington, who was given two years in the penitentiary by a jury in the Circuit Court of Alleghany county on the charge of stealing a sum of money and water. Fight Verdict of Court.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CYPETON FORGE, VA., February 20.—

Ex-Policeman Harry McGuffin, of Covington, who was siven two years in the penitentiary by a jury in the Circuit Court of Alleghamy county on the charge of stealing a sum of money and valuable diamonds, has decided to accept the verdict and will be taken to prison in a few days.

The other charge against McGuffin of stealing a lot of ladies' valuable wearing apparel belonging to Mrs. Burgwin, of Pittsburg, has been withdrawn.

The general opinion is that McGuffin got off extremely light.

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INVESTIGATE STUART.

Civil Service Commissioner Takes

Evidence at Newport News.

(Special to the Times-Dispatch).

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(Special to the Alleghan and S. B. Clements, at a stenographer, arrived here this mortaing from Washington on Light.

In the more management of the investigation into the charges against Collector of Stating and the carried to Washington to-night.

It is understood that the commission will have its report ready in a few days and returned to Washington to-night.

The general impression is that the appointment will not be confirmed; that the President will not even insist upon it.

FREE FLOWERS.

New Freight Depot Commenced by the Southern Road.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch).

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WORK OF FARMERS

Successful Day Along the Danville and Western R ilroad.

MANY FARMERS CROWD CAR

The Party Return to Danville and Take a Northern Route To-Day.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
MARTINSVILLE, VAI, February 29.—
The special train operated by the Southern Road for the State Department of agriculture left Danville at 9 o'clock this

morning, and after making stops of thirty minutes each at Cascade, in Pittsylvania, and Axton, in Henry, reached Martinsville at noon.

After a half-hour's talk by Professor A. D. Sharnel, of the Agricultural Department at Washington, the party took dimer at Hotel Harailton, and at 1:20 o'clock the train left for Spencer. Va., where the last stop for the law was made, the party returning to Danville this afternoon. There was a large turnout of farmers at each stop made by the train, the car being crowded and there being at least one hundred farmers at each station.

plants.

The party is accompanied by J. R. Hopper, of the Southern Road. Washington, D. C., and on their trip over the Danville and Western to-day, were accompanied by Superintendent Theodore Parker, and Mr. West, of Danville, and Hon. J. M. Barker, of Axton.

Mr. Barker, of Axton.

Mr. Barker is a member of the Board of Agriculture and one of the largest and most successful tobacco raisers in the State.

State.

He agreed entirely with the tobacco experts, thus demonstrating the practical character of their ideas.

To-morrow the train will visit Chatham and immediate points to Rockfish, in Nelson county.

NEWSPAPER FIRE.

Flames Do Several Thousand Dol

lars Damage to Times & News.

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Richmond Champions to Race on Neutral Ground in Petersburg.

MILD CASES OF SMALLPOX

Large Improvements Contemplated at Riverside Coun-

try Club.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) PETERSBURG, VA., February 20.-A ticipants will appear in colonial costume of Washington's time, will be given at the of Washington's time, will be given at the Washington Street skating rink next Thursday evening, February 22d, Prizes will be awarded to the best competitors. Brent and Taylor, whners of the Richmond championship roller skating race, will race off their tie on the neutral ground of the Petersburg rink.

The smallpox here is of a very mild kind, only about a dozen cases having developed in the city, all negroes, who have been sent to the pest-house. No new cases are reported.

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Extensive improvements will probably soon be begun at the Riverside Country Club, including the building of a race-track and the culargement of the baseball grounds.

ASLEEP AT HIS POST.

An Open Block on the Southern Causes Injury to Four Men.

fourth section came around the curve at a high rate of speed, crashing into the standing train. The engine and two cars overturned and the escaping steam and water prevented a conflagration. Some of the wreckage fell on the passing track, blocking traffic for three or four hours, but trains are now moving on schedule time.

Superintendent Andrews, of this division, was soon on the scene with a wrocking train and will prolably have the main line cleared by night. Considering the delay the cost is astimated at \$12,00.

Brakeman Danson went over with the engine and was the least hurt of the injured.

FIRE IN HIGHLAND.

A Peculiarly Distressing Loss to An Aged Citizen.

of the case and resulted like the last in a hung jury. The firm has been re-tained to again defend young Lamborne at the next term of the Circuit Court. PRETTY WOMEN MEET.

Buckingham Doctors Organize on

a Paying Basis.

RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.

Mr. Trevilian Thrown Violently From 1 Buggy to Sidewalk.

Will Hardly Lynch Coleman.

(By Associated Press.) SHREVEPORT, I.A., February 20.—The Ity is quiet to-day and it is not believed on the charge of murdering Miss Lear The militia will probably be kept of guard until Coleman's trial has been completed.

HELD UP FARMER AT POINT OF SHOT GUN

Robert Cottrell Proven to Be a Convict on

An Aged Citizen.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch)

MONTEREY, VA., February 29.—The store and postoffice at Mesdou Dee, six miles from Monterey, was burned Sunday, Mr. S. C. Slaven, as octosequarian, was postmaster, as well as proprietor of the store.

The sme Same stamps and a few books were fluces on the store.

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Mr. Slavin, who lives with his son, did not early a large stock of goods, but in his old age, derived much satisfaction from his little business and the store, which had become "home" to him. In former years he was fond of the class, and he had many souvening of these hunting days.

The building days.

The building and cents.

The old gentleman is almost prostreted over the misfortume. There was no busin's ance.

NEW BANK.

Second Trial of Lawhorne For Killing His Bride, Hung Jury.

(Special to The Times Dispatch)

BUENA VISTA, VA., February 29.—The groups of Bank, of Hunga Vista, has been organized, with the following officers (C. W. Showaiter, president; Dr. J. H. Manp, vice-president; W. E. Williams of Owendown, Ky., cashler The different organized, which the following officers (C. W. Showaiter, president; Dr. J. H. Manp, vice-president; W. E. Williams of Owendown, Ky., cashler The different organized, which the following officers (C. W. Showaiter, president; Dr. J. H. Manp, vice-president; W. E. Williams of Owendown, Ky., cashler The different organized, which the following officers (C. W. Showaiter, president; Dr. J. H. Manp, vice-president; W. E. Williams of Owendown, Ky., cashler The different organized, which the firm of willis & Lyles, returned from Loxington today, where they have both spent the week in the trial of Jao. R. Lawhone, who is endarged with having huntred by the bride of a few mouths during the returned to, the particular country in the will be returned from Loxington today, where they have both spent the week in the trial of Jao. R. Lawhone, who is endarged with havin

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A BARKEEPER FINED

FOR SUNDAY SELLING

His License Revoked-He May Prosecute the

Officers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WEST POINT, VA., February 20.—M.
Oscar Lippoid, a saloon-keeper of WesPoint, was tried before Mr. 4. H. Garey
a justice of the peace, last night and
found gulty of selling fluor on Sunday
He was fined \$20 and costs and his
licenses revoked.

Mr. Charlton Kidd brought in the evidence and Mr. Lippoid confessed to selling the liquor.

It is reported that Mr. Lippoid has gone
to Richmond to secure legal advice as to
taking an appeal. It is stated by others
that he is seeking advice as to the prosecution of some of the town officers, who
probably had bought from hint on some
other Sunday.

A widowed mother, a week ago, wrote
to Mayor Eastwood that her boy was
somewhere drinking and begged him to
look him up. Mayor Eastwood and Sergeant Edwards undertook to find him,
but soon found their movements were
suspected and that they were watched.
Later "the boy" came home drunk.

Out of the twenty-four licensed barrooms in sections outside of effect in the
State four are at West Point, and secuto be thriving.

Washington's birthday will be celebrated in various ways here. The school
will have a holliday and the ladies of the
McHodist church will furnish an elegant
supper from 6 to 5 o'clock at the Ridgeway House.

Ther are already orders in for supper
for several private partles. A ream atdoining the large dising-room has be
arranged for an ice-cream pair's,
The proceeds are for the private fund. Officers.

ELEGANT WEDDING Miss Rena Mills Becomes the

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Bride of Joseph Walker Yates

(Special to The Times-Dispates).

(MILMINGTON, N. C., February 20.—
One of the most brilliant, as well as one
of the prettiest, weddings celebrated in
Wilmington in many a day was that
this afternoon of Miss Rezan Mills, only
daugnter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson Mills, and Mr. Joseph Walker Yates.
Both are popular young people, the bride
being considered one of the most charming singers in the State, and the groom
being cashier of the Atlantic National
Bank, the oldest financial institution in
Wilmington. He is a son of the senior
member of the firm of C. W. Yates &
Co., and his father for many years has
been a member of the board of audit
and finance of this city.

The marriage was celebrated at 5 c'clock
at Grace Methodist Church, the paster,
Rev. N. M. Watson, officiating, and was
followed by a reception and elegant supper at the Orton Hotel. Both the church
and palpros of the handsome hotel, the
latter where the reception proper was
held, were profusely and beautifully de-

latter where the reception proper was held, were profusely and beautifully decorated and crowded by a brilliant and rashionably attired assemblage.

The dame-of-honor was Mrs. Allan Gardner Lyin, of Richmond, Va., while the bridesmaids were Miss Nelle Whetstone, of Norfolk, Va.; Miss Bessle McLaurin of Bennettsville, S. C., and Misses Sudie Mills and Lillie, Sears, of this city. The, best man was Mr. C. W. Yates, Jr., and the ushors, Messrs, R. A. Parsley, Clarence Mills, Harry Crosswell and N. E. Gillican.

The bride wore a magnificent Princess gown of biccut cloth, with hat to match, and her ornaments were of diamonds, the cardinal ones being a costly diamond sunburst and a handsome turquoise neckace. Her bouquet was of Illies of the valley and roses.

Mrs. Lyun, the dame-of-honor, was costumed in a superb gown of white tullor fashioned; plumed hat, and had diamond ornaments. Her bouquet was or bridemaid's roses.

The bruesmaids wore rich rowns of white crope de chine and carried large bouquets of white and pink roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Yates left on the north-bound evening train for a tour that will embrace visits to an the principal spot.

SECRET MARRIAGE. Couple Kept It Dark Just For the

Fun of the Thing. Fun of the Thing.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LYNCHBURG, VA., Feb. 20.—Announcement was made here last evening of the marringe of Mr. II P. Hillsman, of this city, a railway postal clerk, running between Lynchburg and Beistol, on the Norfolk and Western, and Miss R. Palmer Nichols, of Bedford county, which took place in Bristol, Tena, on February 12th.

The wedding was not a run away, but was kept a secret until yesterday for the novelty connected with h.

Richmonders in New York.

(Special to The Times-Disparch.)
NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Fifth Avenue, L.
L. Scherer and wife; Hotel Astor, F. W.
Grigg; Grand, E. Whitlock; Cumberland,
L. Fellheimer, Broadway Central, L. L.
Dettelbach, W. T. Hutchinson; Astor, J.
Weihstein; Vendome, G. B. Gaines, W. Y.
Arrington Herald Square, H. C. Watkins;
St. Denis, J. M. Fourqurean;



Relieve inflammation of the throat caused by cold or catarrh. Contain nothing injurious

